FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

CELEBRATES

"NATIONAL COIN WEEK"

APRIL 19-25, 1987

REQUEST FOR NCW PARTICIPATION MEDAL

Name FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY ANA # 12477

Street P. O. BOX 41

City/State FRESNO CALIF. Zip 93707

Title of talk, exhibit or article SEE ATTACHED

Where presented (i.e. name of group), shown or name of publication

Dates presented, shown or published

Names of new ANA members you proposed

I hereby certify that the above information is correct.

Ruth M Phillips May 27, 1987

Signature Date

(Enclose copy of article if applicable. Reproduce this form as necessary.)

FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
NATIONAL COIN WEEK PARTICIPANTS

DALE HEWLETT (ANA #70039)

NCW Chairman, Museum Liason, Exhibit Contributor

ANDREW KOSIERIS (ANA #132492)

FNS President and Proclamation Liason

BILLY FEBUARY (ANA #129368)

FNS Vice President and Museum Coordinator

RUTH M. PHILLIPS (ANA #63360)

FNS Secretary, Exhibit Contributor, Photographer and NCW Historian

JOHN PETERS (ANA #116618)

FNS Editor and NCW Publicity

MERLE DAVIS

Exhibit Contributor

LEONARD COX

Exhibit Contributor

PHILLIP PLETTNER

FNS Treasurer and Exhibit Contributor

ELIZABETH PLETTNER

FNS Junior Member and Exhibit Contributor

RICHARD PLETTNER

FNS Junior Member and Exhibit Contributor

Thursday, April 23, 1987 THE FRESNO BEE

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NATIONAL Coin Week is being observed this week and the Fresno Numismatic Society (coin collectors) observed its 41st anniversary with a reception last night in the Fresno Metropolitan Museum where the society has an exhibit of American silver coins dating back to the 19th Century to the present.

The exhibit consists of about 25 coin sets, including a 1-cent silver coin minted in 1794. The coin exhibit can be seen in the museum through May 19.

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COIN WORLD, Wednesday, May 27, 1987

Fresno observes Coin Week

National Coin Week was declared an official Fresno, Calif., observation April 19-25, by Mayor Dale Doig as the Fresno Numismatic Society set goals of constructing an exhibit of coins and bank notes and of building an educational numismatic book collection for the local library.

Doig issued the proclamation at a reception held in the Lyles Theatre of the Fresno Metropolitan Museum April 22.

The FNS exhibit consists of choice U.S. silver coinage and bank notes, to be displayed in the Fresno Metropolitan Museum. FNS member Dale Hewlett worked with museum personnel to produce the display, which will consist of 36 feet of display space in the museum.

The educational numismatic book collection will be donated to the Fresno Public Library by the club. The collection is composed of private club member contributions and subscriptions to leading numismatic newspapers, with the subscriptions subsidized by the FNS.

PLACED IN MUSEUM BESIDE OUR EXHIBIT

The Officers and Members
of the
FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
cordially invite you to attend
its Free Educational Meetings held on the
second Tuesday of each month at 8:00 p.m.
in the Beverly Park Club House,
2970 East Weldon, Fresno.
Guests are always welcome.

April 24, 1987

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

MUSEUM RECEPTION CAPS FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY'S "NATIONAL COIN WEEK" ACTIVITY.

The Fresno Numismatic Society set two goals to celebrate 1987 "NATIONAL COIN WEEK". The first goal was to construct an exhibit of choice U. S. silver coinage and currency for display in the Fresno Metropolitan Museum. FNS members loaned their prized collections for the exhibit and Dale Hewlett, FNS Past-President and current Board Member, worked with museum personnel to produce an outstanding display that consisted of 36 feet of display space in the museum. The exhibit will be featured for about 10 weeks. "NATIONAL COIN WEEK", April 19-25, was declared an official Fresno observation when Fresno Mayor Dale Doig issued a proclamation at a reception held in the Lyles Theatre of the Fresno Metropolitan Museum on the evening of April 22nd. About 50 FNS members, guests and museum personnel attended the gala reception.

The second 1987 goal of the Society has been to build an educational numismatic book collection donated to the Fresno Public Library for the use of serious numismatic collectors. In addition to private member contributions, ANA and CSNA publications, the society voted to subsidize subscriptions to leading numismatic newspapers. All book gift to the library bear bookplates noting that it was donated by the Fresno Numismatic Society and newspaper publications are stamped the same.

FNS President Andrew Kosieris presented Mayor Doig with two FNS 40th Anniversary gold-plated copper medals struck last year. The society had 60 silver and 150 gold-plated copper medals struck by Pressed Metal of Vancouver, B. C. The silver medals were all pre-sold but there are a few of the latter still available at $3.00 each plus 50¢ postage. They can be purchased from Ruth Phillips, 227 N. Duke Ave., Fresno, CA 93727.

BY THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of

FRESNO

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the week of April 19 - 25, 1987 is National Coin Week in the United States; and

WHEREAS, coins and currency form an integral part of our daily lives and the study of these items has brought knowledge and expanded understanding to many people around the world; and

WHEREAS, hobbies are an important part of our lives, providing a relaxing and educational means of re-creating ourselves and a constructive outlet for the frustrations of everyday life; and

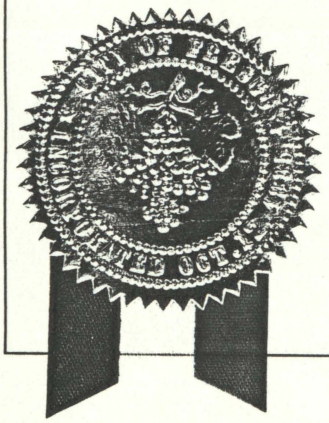
WHEREAS, because 1987 is the 125th anniversary of the formation of the United States Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the entity which provides us with our paper currency, the theme for National Coin Week in 1987 is "Currency Worth Noting"; and

WHEREAS, the American Numismatic Association and numerous local clubs throughout the world are celebrating National Coin Week by sharing their hobby with others, young and old; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dale Doig, Mayor of the City of Fresno, do hereby proclaim the week of April 19-25, 1987, as

"NATIONAL COIN WEEK"

and call upon all citizens to celebrate this week with ceremonies and activities expanding their knowledge of numismatics and the joys of coin collecting.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Fresno to be affixed this 13th day of April, 1987.

Dale Doig

Dale Doig, Mayor

Fresno Metropolitan Museum
of Art, History and Science

1515 Van Ness Avenue • Fresno, California 93721 • 209/441-1444 Development Office 209/233-2121

March 20, 1987

Andrew Kosieres, President
Numismatic Society
[redacted]

Dear Andrew:

We are delighted to have the Numismatic Society host a reception here at the Museum on Wednesday, April 22, from 7:00-8:00pm. Furthermore, it is a pleasure to have Fresno's Mayor Dale Doig issue a proclamation honoring The Society and National Coin week. This all ties in beautifully with our current exhibit of American Silver coins.

As we discussed, you expect approximatley 75 persons to attend.

The Museum will have two 8' tables with linens and a podium and microphone set-up in the Lyles Theatre for the event. Our coffee makers will be available for your use. All other expenses will be picked-up by your organization and your committee members will arrive at 6:00pm to make coffee and set-up.

Also, as a courtesy, please send invitations to Linda E. Dick, Don Brewer, and Ross McGuire, Director (although Ross will be unable to attend because of a prior commitment.)

We look forward to your reception.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth Olson

Elizabeth Olson
Development Officer

A. N. A. C12477

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FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

Post Office Box 41 ~ FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

April 14, 1987

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Ms. Linda E. Dick
Fresno Metropolitan Museum
1515 Van Ness Avenue
Fresno, CA 93721

Dear Ms. Dick:

The Fresno Numismatic Society would like to invite you to attend a reception it is hosting in the Lyles Theatre, at the Fresno Metropolitan Museum, Wednesday, April 22nd from 7:00 to 8:00 PM.

The week of April 19-25 is proclaimed National Coin Week throughout the nation. The exhibit on American Silver Coins sponsored by our club members was assembled for this celebration.

Featured at the reception will be Fresno Mayor Dale Doig who will issue a proclamation declaring "NATIONAL COIN WEEK" as an official Fresno observation.

It would be our pleasure to have you attend the reception in your capacity as an official of the Fresno Metropolitan Museum.

Sincerely,

Ruth M. Phillips

Ruth M. Phillips
Secretary

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Post Office Box 41 ~ Fresno, California

April 14, 1987

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Mr. Ross McGuire, Director
Fresno Metropolitan Museum
1515 Van Ness Avenue
Fresno, Ca. 93721

Dear Mr. McGuire:

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Post Office Box 41 ~ FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

April 14, 1987

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Mr. Don Brewer
Fresno Metropolitan Museum
1515 Van Ness Avenue
Fresno, Ca. 93721

Dear Mr. Brewer:

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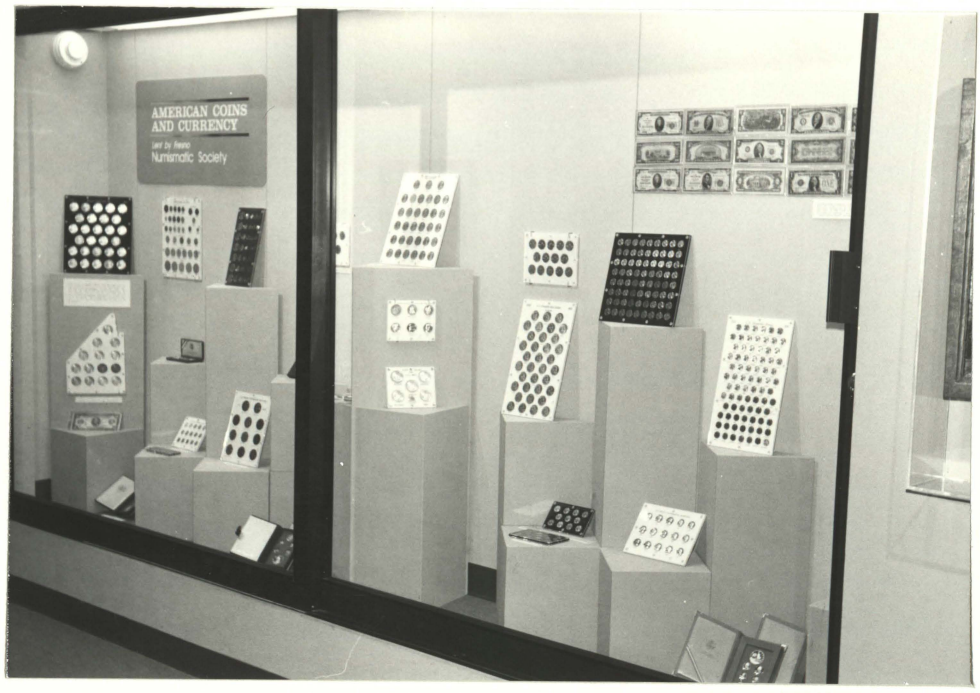
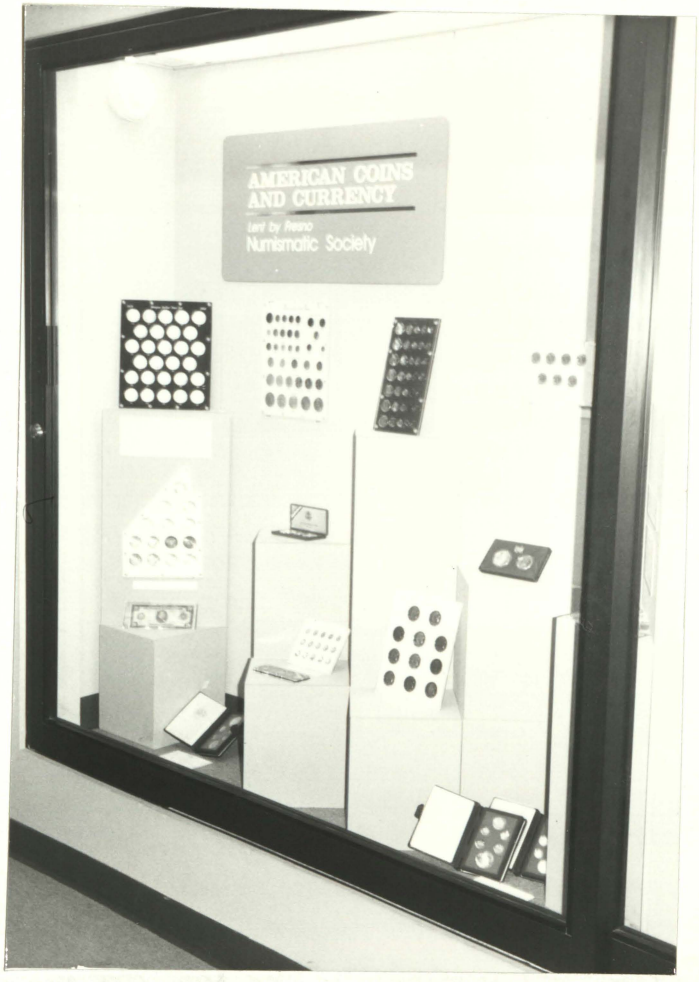
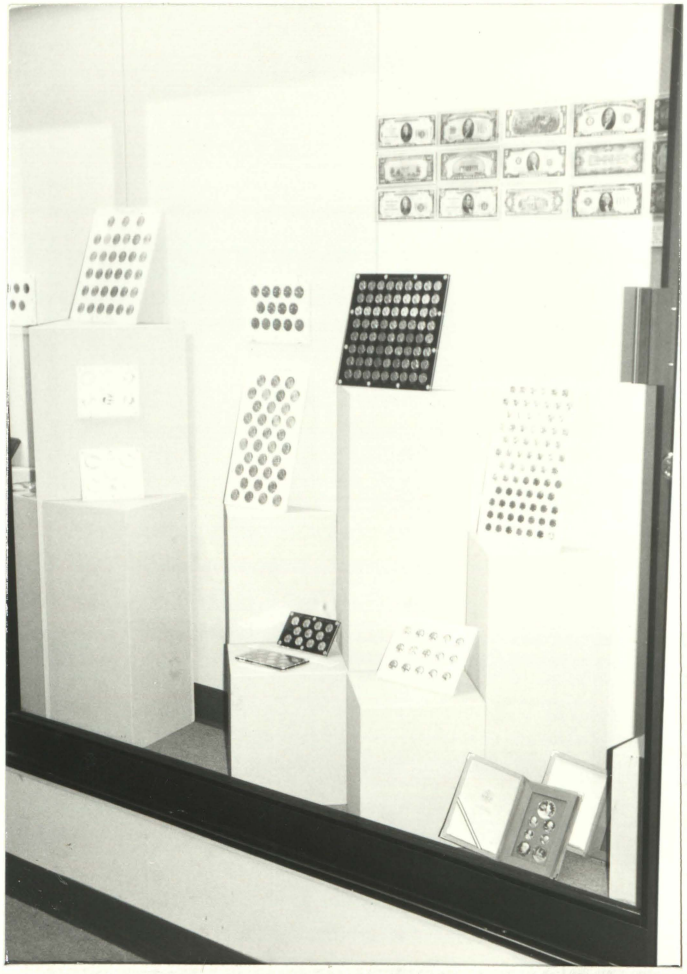


FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY "NATIONAL COIN WEEK" EXHIBIT

FRESNO METROPOLITAN MUSEUM





FRESNO MAYOR DALE DOIG SPEAKING AT RECEPTION AND FNS PRES. KOSIERIS

SOME FNS MEMBERS AND GUESTS AT THE FRESNO MUSEUM RECEPTION

"NATIONAL COIN WEEK" CAKE FOR MUSEUM RECEPTION

FRESNO MAYOR DALE DOIG PRESENTING "NATIONAL COIN WEEK" PROCLAMATION TO FNS PRES. KOSIERIS

NCW CHAIRMAN DALE HEWLETT CHECKING ON MUSEUM RECEPTION REFRESHMENT TABLE

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FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

Post Office Box 41 ~ FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

May 1, 1987

Ms. Linda E. Dick
Fresno Metropolitan Museum
1515 Van Ness Avenue
Fresno, CA 93721

Dear Ms. Dick:

On behalf of the officers and members of the Fresno Numismatic Society, I wish to thank you and your staff for being so helpful in making the Museum reception for our "NATIONAL COIN WEEK" celebration such a success.

Our Fresno Numismatic Society members and guests were greatly impressed with all the work you have all done to make the museum a real Fresno "happening".

It's efforts like yours that make us all proud to be Fresnans.

Thank you again.

Sincerely,

FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

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MEETS, 2ND TUESDAY
8:00 PM (Doors open at 7:00 PM)

BEVERLY PARK CLUB HOUSE
2970 EAST WELDON

VOL. 27, NO 4 - April 1987

JOHN M. PETERS, EDITOR

SPECIAL EVENT

Fresno Metropolitan Museum has an exhibit of U.S. coins on display. The display was put together by our club under the leadership of past president Dale Hewlett. We have 36 linier feet of coins in the exhibit. Have you been down to the museum to view the exhibit? Tell friends so they can go view the exhibit.

The exhibit will be up until mid May, so please support the hobby and museum by spending an hour or two viewing. Tell the museum how nice it is to look back into time and view coins that you used to spend on cup cakes and soda pop.

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SUPER SPECIAL EVENT

The rumor is true. The Mayor of Fresno, The Honorable Dale Doig (a numismatists) will issue a proclamation for National Coin Week at a reception to be held April 22nd, 7:00 to 8:00 PM in the Fresno Metropolitan Museum. The reception will be adjacent to the exhibit on U.S. silver coins. All members and their families are encouraged to attend this special event. We will have sparkling cider and cake for refreshments. Support numismatics by supporting National Coin Week at this reception. Please contact our "reservations chairman" Dennis Olswang at 264-8184 and let him know how many are coming. We hope to have 75 to 100 in attendance.

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NATIONAL COIN WEEK

Across the United States proclamations were issued for National Coin Week (April 19th-25th). Our club was no exception with about 50 members and guests present at the Fresno Metropolitan on April 22nd at 7:00PM. The Mayor of Fresno, Dale Doig, issued a proclamation of which a copy is below.

County of
FRESNO

The County Free Library

John K. Kallenberg
County Librarian

March 2, 1987

Andrew Kosieris, President
Fresno Numismatic Society
[redacted]

Dear Mr. Kosieris:

Thank you for your offer to have the Fresno Numismatic Society purchase books, newspapers, and periodicals which can be used both by your members as well as regular library users. There is adequate room at the Cedar Clinton Branch for the several newspapers and periodicals you described, as well as a small collection of books. You indicated about 25. We could very comfortably go as high as 40 or 50.

As we discussed, books could be checked out by members of your society and other users at the Cedar Clinton Branch. The items could also be borrowed by other libraries for use by patrons in other locations. All the items could be purchased either by you and/or by us depending on available discounts, etc. The Cedar Clinton Branch Librarian, Anne Carney (442-1770), can work out the details of the purchases with you. I understand that some of the items are issued annually, so arrangements should be considered for annual updates in order to keep the collection up-to-date. I'm sure you understand that over the years older items will need to be discarded as they become worn, soiled or obsolete.

After the books are purchased we will catalog them so that library users can look items up by title, author and subject in the card catalog, put a plastic cover on them, and paste a gift plate in each book. This plate will indicate that your society was the donor. If you will agree to purchase a magazine cover for each periodical you order (about $10.00 apiece), we can put a gift plate on the cover indicating that the magazine was donated by your organization. We would keep the most recent issue in the magazine cover; earlier issues would be kept on the shelf directly beneath the current issue and in the back work room. At some point backfiles of magazine titles might be transferred to Central. The books would be interfiled in the regular collection. After a sufficient amount of the material has been received we would like to write a joint press release with you to give your society publicity, and as a way of saying thanks publicly.

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2420 Mariposa Street/Fresno, California 93721/(209) 488-3185
Equal Employment Opportunity—Affirmative Action—Handicap Employer

March 2, 1987
Andrew Kosieris, President
Fresno Numismatic Society

We thank you for your generous offer. You will be benfiting not only the members of your society, but also the library users. And in these difficult times, your help is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

John K. Kallenberg
County Librarian

JKK/KBC/AC/em

cc: Anne Carney, Librarian
Cedar Clinton Branch

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Club News

FNS reaches both goals

Fresno Numismatic Society in Fresno, Calif., accomplished both of its major goals for National Coin Week, according to a spokesman for the club. The first was construction of an exhibit of U.S. silver coinage and paper money for the Fresno Metropolitan Museum and the second the assembly of a numismatic reference collection for the Fresno Pulbic Library.

Mayor Dale Doig of Fresno cooperated with FNS and officially recognized April 19-25 as National Coin Week in Fresno. About 50 club members attended a reception at Lyles Theater to witness the proclamation on April 22.

Dale Hewlett and other FNS members lent their collections and worked with the staff to fill 36 feet of display space at the Fresno museum. The spokesman said he expects it to remain in place for a total of 10 weeks.

Contributions from area numismatists and American Numismatic Association and California State Numismatic Association publications are among the works in the Fresno library's numismatic reference collection. The Fresno club also voted to subsidize subscriptions to numismatic periodicals.

Mayor Dale Doig of Fresno, Calif., left, presents a National Coin Week proclamation to FNS president Andy Kosieris.

Specimens of the 40th anniversary medal, such as the one bestowed upon Mayor Doig, are still available from FNS. The gold-plated copper medals are priced at $3 each, plus 50 cents postage. Orders may be sent to Ruth Phillips, 227 N. Duke Ave., Fresno, Calif. 93727.

California's **Fresno Numismatic Society** set two goals for its NCW celebration and accomplished both. The first was to construct an exhibit of choice U.S. paper money and silver coinage for display in the Fresno Metropolitan Museum. Items loaned by club members were gathered and arranged by Dale Hewlett, FNS past president and board member, with the assistance of museum staff. The result was an outstanding display that was featured in the museum for a 10-week period. About 50 FNS members, guests and museum personnel attended a reception in the museum's Lyles Theatre.

The Fresno Numismatic Society's second goal for NCW '87 was to build a collection of numismatic literature to which serious collectors could have easy access. To this end, the Society and many of its members donated reference material to the Fresno Public Library, including books, ANA and CSNA publications, and subscriptions to hobby-oriented newspapers.

FINAL REPORT

NATIONAL COIN WEEK APRIL 19-25, 1987

CLUB or INDIVIDUAL (in whose name report is submitted)

FRESNO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

ANA Number 12477

Name, address and telephone number of individual submitting report:

Ruth M. Phillips
[redacted]

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FINAL REPORT

Attach a report of educational activities conducted in observance of National Coin Week 1987. Supplement your report with documentation, such as press clippings, letters of acknowledgement, programs, bulletins and photographs. The quality of your presentation and documentation will be considered when reports are chosen for publication in THE NUMISMATIST. Large, elaborate reports are discouraged, but reports in scrapbook form are quite suitable and should be considered.

New ANA members recruited during your National Coin Week campaign should be listed on the reverse of this form.

PARTICIPATION AWARDS

Awards will be provided to clubs and individuals submitting FINAL REPORTS and to the individuals and organizations designated by them. ANA members are eligible for a NCW partcipation medal. Individuals and institutions not members of ANA will receive certificates of participation. Your report should include a printed or typewritten list with ANA number, if applicable, of those whose support contributed significantly to the success of your local National Coin Week campaign. Certificates and medals will be sent to the above address for distribution.

All FINAL REPORTS should be sent First Class Mail, postmarked on or before May 29, 1987, to:

National Coin Week 1987
American Numismatic Association
818 N. Cascade Ave.
Colorado Springs, CO 80903-3279